

# The Bulletin.

From the Address of Democratic Congressman  
Let there be no dissensions about minor  
matters; no time lost in discussion  
of dead events; no manifestation of  
narrow or prescriptive feeling; no  
sacrifice of the cause to gratify per-  
sonal ambition or resentment.

FOR CONGRESS XIII DISTRICT.  
COL. JOHN M. CROBBS, of White Co.  
FOR SENATORS, 1ST DISTRICT,  
S. K. GIBSON, of Gallatin County.  
THOMAS A. E. HOLCOMBE, of Union Co.

## A Fact.

[From the Chicago Tribune, Radical.]

"Congress still maintains taxes, direct  
and indirect, to the amount of not less than  
\$800,000,000. OF THIS ENORMOUS TAX,  
LESS THAN ONE-HALF IS RECEIVED BY  
THE GOVERNMENT. The remainder is  
distributed to private individuals and classes  
who control legislation."

## Take Notice!

[From the Chicago Tribune, Radical Thunderer.]

"It is known and read of all men, that  
the overshadowing question in American  
politics at the present time is a TARIFF FOR  
REVENUE, OR A TARIFF FOR PROTEC-  
TION. It is optional for political  
parties to be for one or the other.  
They cannot be for both. NOR  
CAN THEY DODGE THE QUESTION  
WITHOUT INCURRING THE CON-  
TEMPT OF THE FRIENDS AND AD-  
VOCATES OF EACH OF THESE OP-  
POSING PRINCIPLES!"

(Resolution in the Tariff Question adopted by  
the Democratic Convention of the Thirteenth  
Congressional District—Col. John M. Crobs, nomi-  
nee.)

**Resolved**,

Why is Dan Munn like necessity?  
Because he knows no law.

The Mt. Carmel Register has been  
sold to Mr. T. J. Groves, of Evansville  
who will, we think, make the paper of  
more extended usefulness. It will be, as  
heretofore, Republican in politics.

All four of the Republican candi-  
dates for Congress in South Carolina are  
negroes, as are also the candidate for Lieu-  
tenant-Governor and the Chairman of the  
Republican State Executive Committee,  
not to speak of one of the Supreme Court  
Judges and the Secretary of State being  
black.

The Nova Scotia fisherman are hav-  
ing unusual and extraordinary luck this  
season. On one day, recently, a party of  
three with two nets caught forty thousand  
shad, and on the next day the same party  
caught eighty thousand. The value of  
those fish is set down at \$10,000, or when  
cured and ready for market, \$7,000.

Will D. W. Munn acknowledge  
that, no longer ago than the year 1867, he  
publicly and privately asserted that when  
the Radical party favored the enfranchise-  
ment of the negro, he would promptly  
abandon it, or shall we, by evidence that  
he dare not gainsay, prove that he said so?  
Hard-checked as he is, he can scarcely  
enter a denial here. The evidence against  
him is too overwhelming.

The whisky they have at Detroit is  
believed to be intoxicating. A party of  
gentlemen and ladies who recently went  
from Detroit to Toledo, on a pleasure ex-  
cursion, took a good supply of Detroit  
whisky with them, and when they reached  
Toledo their appearance and conduct were  
so peculiar that one of the Toledo papers  
says of them:

"For a drunken, noisy and filthy set, we  
never saw its equal. The men excursionists  
were all drunk, and as many of their  
female friends as were not in the same  
condition, acted the part of lamp posts for  
them to lean upon."

We are credibly informed that  
Dan Munn in a conversation with a White  
county Radical, declared his belief that  
Colonel Crobs would be elected by a  
majority of one thousand votes. He further  
declared that the Radical party in Egypt  
was without enthusiasm, retained no power  
of cohesion, and is in the act of going to  
pieces. Unless we put on a bold face, son-  
minated the respondent Daniel, we shall  
not carry a county in the district.

Persons who know Dan's private opinion  
in this regard, would be amazed to hear  
his public declarations in the same connec-  
tion. He can and does declare that the  
chances are favorable for his election! If  
we were called upon to point out the  
greatest adept living in the arts of deceit  
and dissimulation we should say to Daniel:  
Thou art the man."

The recent election in Kentucky  
which resulted in a Democratic majority of  
more than fifty thousand—the Radicals  
not carrying a single county in the State—  
has demonstrated the fact that the negro  
vote cannot be safely counted on every-  
where and under all circumstances. These  
outside contributions to the city treasury are  
becoming quite frequent.

THE INEVITABLE DR. PARKER.  
A firmly fixed distaste for work induces  
Dr. D. A. Parker, to ask the sovereigns of  
Union county, to send him to the Legislature.  
The doctor's address is characteristic.  
Here it is. Read it:

To the Electors of Union County, Illinois:

GENTLEMEN: I do not know as I like  
work any better than when I ran for Super-  
intendent, and for this reason and the  
continued solidifications of my best and dearest  
friend Mr. Lincoln Green, V. per day,  
and fifty dollars bounties I am anxious  
to ask you to make me your Representative  
in the next Legislature, and if you  
should be so unfortunate as to do so, my  
word for it, gentlemen, I will go to  
Springfield whether the good people of  
the State want any more dung fossils in  
the Legislature or not. And what if you  
should not? Well, as an honest man, I  
will try to be content with how and how-  
ever, and without the least malice against  
any of you continue farming and endeavor  
to live that which I and many of my  
opponents hate. I will be around before  
the election shaking your paws, grinning,  
grinning, smiling and laughing, running  
wood into your eyes that you may not see  
negro in mine, and to make you believe  
that I like you better than Lincoln Green,  
V. per day and that if elected, how easily  
that I can get every one of you in office,  
and then we as one great and happy family  
can live independently of that thing  
that ye all call work.

Yours, respectfully,  
D. A. PARKER.

Dr. S. S. Condon, an old and substantial  
citizen of Jonesboro is also an aspirant for  
the same position. In a letter addressed to  
the Democracy of Union county, the  
Doctor employs the following language:

A lifelong service for the interest of  
a popular government, in the ranks of the  
Democratic party with all the zeal, energy,  
and talent I might possess, warrants me in  
saying I am a Democrat. I have butched  
for the interest of our party "in earnest"  
as well as good report. Persistently and  
constantly, in public and in private, in  
prosperity and in the dark hours of ad-  
versity, while many others have gone  
over to the ranks of our opponents, I have  
ever stuck to my post and done all in my  
power to aid the old Democratic party to  
triumph over the enemies of free govern-  
ment.

There are hundreds of persons, even out-  
side of Union county, who will cheerfully  
bear testimony as to the Doctor's zeal and  
consistency as a Democrat.

PENSIONS AND BOUNTIES.—The Pension  
Office is receiving many inquiries from sol-  
diers desiring to know if the time for mak-  
ing application for pensions extended by  
Congress. A bill for such an extension  
failed; but one was passed extending the  
time for filing applications for additional  
bounty until next December. Under the  
law in the case, all who served one year  
are entitled to \$60, and those who served  
two years or longer, to \$100.

## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

### UNION COUNTY ITEMS.

The citizens of Anna and Jonesboro  
will entertain, free of charge, visitors  
from abroad in attendance on the Southern  
Illinois Teachers' Association, that is to  
convene in the former city on Tuesday  
next.

The Jonesboro Gazette of to-day says:  
Some little excitement was created at the  
Asylum, on Monday last, owing to the em-  
ployment of some negroes on the works.  
Some of the white men already employed  
refused to work with the colored hands and  
threw down their shovels. Peace, however,  
was restored, and the negroes went  
to work on one portion of the ground  
of themselves, and the whites to themselves.

The fifteen annual fair of the Union  
County Agricultural society will be held in  
Jonesboro on the 13th, 14th and 15th  
of September. The Gazette feels assured  
that it will be the most attractive and suc-  
cessful exhibition of any yet given by the  
society. The legacy which Capt. J. C.  
Hunsaker left to the society, in his will,  
has enabled them to buy the fine lands  
adjoining the grounds on the north and  
west, of Mr. Willard and Mr. Cruse, so  
that they now own twenty acres. The  
President of the society, Mr. H. S. Spain,  
is now building a fine new house on the  
south and west side, which will make the  
grounds much larger and more convenient  
for exhibition. The grounds are being  
cleared off and put in good order, and the  
buildings will be repaired and well arranged  
for the convenience of the exhibitors  
in all departments. The success of the  
society for the past few years has war-  
ranted it in offering liberal premiums.

The same paper learns from Mr.  
George Kimball that a man by the name  
of Cash was shot at a place four miles  
north of Pulley's Mills, in Williamson  
county. On Monday last Cash was shoot-  
ing his team in the woods, and was shot  
with a shotgun and instantly killed by a  
concealed enemy. This is supposed to be  
the result of a shooting affray at an election  
some time since, between the Cash  
party and some others in that neighbor-  
hood.

The Gazette is credibly informed that  
John A. Logan will not take the  
nomination for Congressman, but is going  
for the Senate, or nothing. He does not  
want his term "extinguished with an iron rail," a  
Schemick, and his pony whistle, at Car-  
bondale, is coming down on the late Congress,  
and is abusing Col. Crobs for being  
a member of it. Is that rich?

### POPE COUNTY ITEMS.

A rain full of five hours duration visited  
Golead and vicinity, one day last week.

The farmers express the belief that no  
more rain is necessary to mature the corn  
crops, although a little more would not  
hurt anything.

The Golead Herald, of yesterday,  
says:

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ath school convention shows that we have  
twenty Sunday schools in Pope county,  
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The following allusion to our Sabbath  
School Convention is from the Golead  
Herald:

In an article on the outside of this page  
it will be noticed that the State Schools  
have been meeting, and will hold its next  
regular session in Cairo, on the 13th, 14th  
and 15th of next month. The good citizens  
of that place have made arrangements to  
accommodate all who may attend, and they  
are prepared for and expect a large number  
of visitors. Quite a number of old  
people and Sunday School workers are  
looking forward to the meeting.

WE ARE MANUFACTURING

Illinois Southeastern Railway is being  
pushed in this county at a lively rate, and  
we have been credibly informed that the  
contractors hope to have the road com-  
pleted to the Illinois Central by the first of  
December, and in time to carry off the in-  
coming crop of corn. Also, that the gap  
between Edgewood and Pana is to be  
filled up early in the Spring.

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The grading of the Tellerville and South-  
ern Illinois railroad is nearly completed  
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A new engine for the road has been re-  
ceived here during the past week and is  
now busily employed in running a con-  
struction train from this point West. The  
track is completed from I. C. R. R. three  
miles west, and by the close of the week  
will probably reach William's creek or  
perhaps beyond. The bridges we under-  
take are extremely small and put together. The  
engine is a very fine one, manufactured at  
Tellerville, and lettered, S. & T. H. R., R.  
R. The tender showing that it is for the S. &  
T. H. R. R. branch of that road.

It is claimed by certain parties that the  
building of the T. & C. road caused the  
Illinois Central railroad company to re-  
direct the freights on coal from Tamora  
and Du Quoin to Cairo; we do not believe  
such to be the case, from the fact that the  
completion of that road is far in the future  
to produce any such result, and it is  
questioned whether such result would be  
reached with that road now in operation.

The grading is unquestionably due to  
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